

## Schedule for Public Hearings Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect

<b>CITY</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>VENUE</b>	<b>THEME(S)</b>
<b>Tallahassee</b>	<b>Wednesday,</b> <b>September 14, 2005</b>  <b>10:15 – 11:00 a.m.</b>	<b>12 House Office Building</b>	<b>Legislative Unveiling of Report prepared by the Florida Interprogram Task Force entitled, “Florida’s State Plan for the Prevention of Child Abuse, Abandonment, and Neglect: July 2005 through June 2010”</b>  <b>Secretary Lucy Hadi, DCF</b>
<b>Jacksonville</b>	<b>Thursday,</b> <b>September 22, 2005</b>  <b>1:00 – 4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>St. James Building</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Floor City Council Chambers</b> <b>117 West Duval Street</b> <b>Jacksonville, FL 32202</b> <b>(904) 630-1377</b>	<b>Developing the Framework to Shape Public Policies to Foster Stronger and Healthier Families</b>  <b>PREVENTION and EARLY INTERVENTION: How and When Do We Educate to Prevent Abuse?</b>
<b>Tampa</b>	<b>Thursday,</b> <b>September 29, 2005</b>  <b>1:00 – 4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Frederick B. Karl County Center</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Bd. Of County Commissioners</b> <b>601 East Kennedy Blvd.</b> <b>Tampa, FL 33601</b> <b>(813) 272-6698</b>	<b>Recognizing an Abused Child from the Eyes of a Parent, Teacher, and Health Care Provider</b>  <b>What Happens Once Abuse, Neglect, or Abandonment Has Been Detected?</b>  <b>Perspective of Protective Investigators and Law Enforcement</b>

<b>Miami</b>	<b>Monday, October 3, 2005  1:00 – 4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Miami City Hall (Main Chambers) 3500 Pan American Drive Miami, FL 33133 (305) 250-5360</b>	<b>Profile of a Child Abuser - Risk Factors:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alcohol and Substance Abuse;</li> <li>• Mental Health Problems;</li> <li>• Poverty ;</li> <li>• Childhood Physical or Sexual Abuse;</li> <li>• Domestic Violence; and</li> <li>• Lack of Parenting or Communication Skills</li> </ul> <b>What Research Is Telling Us</b>  <b>Protective Factors for Child Abuse and Neglect: Child Factors; Parent and Family Factors, and Social and Environmental Factors</b>
<b>West Palm Beach</b>	<b>Tuesday, October 11, 2005  1:00 – 4:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Jane M. Thompson Memorial Chambers 301 North Olive Avenue, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor West Palm Beach, FL 33401 (561) 355-6726</b>	<b>Consequences of No Prevention or Early Intervention: Foster Care; Juvenile Detention; Prison; or Death</b>  <b>Role of the Community and Government: Integration of the Delivery Services</b>  <b>Cost of Not Preventing Child Abuse and Neglect</b>
<b>Tallahassee</b>	<b>Week of October 17<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>12 House Office Building</b>	<b>Wrap-Up</b>